Table 5

TOP TEN COUNTRIES WITH POLITICAL APPOINTMENTS\*

1987

Country	Total
USSR	13
United States	12
France	6
United Kingdom	6
Federal Republic	5
of Germany	
Japan	5
India	5
Austria	5
Canada	5
Sweden	5

\*Political appointments at the highest levels in the Secretariat are made by the Secretary General directly rather than on the basis of competitive examinations.

Source: UN Secretariat Staff List, 1987